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/Comment: This report lists consumers' commodities offered for sale and prices as published in the Tientsin Jih-pao of 1 March, 15 June, 2 September, and 2 December 1952. Commodities indicated as being of foreign origin are so stated.

The prices quoted are in people's currency./

Items	Unit of Measure	Price (yuan) 1 Mar	15 Jun	2 Sep	2 Dec
Rice					
Hsiao-chan	chin	1,750	1,780	1,580	1,560
Nan	"	1,320	--	--	--
Pei-ho	"	1,180	1,220	1,200	1,200
Yu-mi, Sha-liu-ho, Grade B	"	910	--	--	--
Yu-mi, Tung-pei, new	"	620	620	--	--
Yuan-yu, Sha-liu-ho	"	930	980	980	1,000
Yuan-yu, Pei-tsai-ho	"	830	--	930	920
Polished, Wuchang	"	1,400	--	--	--
Polished, Hankow	"	1,320	1,430	1,100	--
Polished, Wu-hu	"	1,300	--	1,600	--

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Chiang-mi, local	chin	1,280	--	--	1,660
Ta-mi, Nan-fang	"	--	1,430	1,250	1,200
Yuan-yu-mi, Ch'ang-p'ing	"	--	900	1,040	--
Yuan-yu-mi, Cheng-yuan-kuan, new	"	--	820	830	--
Pai-yu-mi, Luan-hsien	"	--	900	--	810
Yuan-yu-mi, K'ang-ch'uang	"	870	910	920	920
Pai-yu-mi, Liu-shou-ying	"	815	--	880	--
Hsiao-mi, local	"	--	1,270	1,250	1,120
Hsiao-mi, Yu-ho	"	--	1,290	--	1,180
Yuan-mi, Pei-ho	"	--	--	1,080	1,330
Polished, Wu-hsi	"	--	1,680	--	1,270
Beans and Peas					
Beans, green, Pei-ho	chin	1,200	--	--	1,530
Peas, Pei-ho	"	--	--	--	1,050
Ho-tou, Pei-ho	"	980	1,110	--	980
Ho-tou, Lung-hai	"	--	1,020	900	850
Chi-tou, Lung-hai	"	950	--	--	1,000
Chi-tou, Yu-ho	"	1,550	1,730	1,440	1,350
Hsiao-tou, white, Pei-ho	"	960	1,200	--	--
Hsiao-tou, red, Pei-ho	"	1,130	--	--	--
Beans, broad, Pa-hsien	"	1,650	1,530	--	--
Yuan-tao, Wang-ch'ing-cha	"	--	1,160	1,130	--
Yuan-tao, Ning-ling	"	--	980	930	--
Yuan-tou, Pei-ho	"	1,070	1,110	1,470	--

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Flour					
Li-tzu, special	sack	85,500	78,000	77,000	83,000
Hua-hsing, special	"	86,000	--	--	82,000
Lu-mou-tan	"	85,000	75,000	75,500	--
Chiu-li-shan	"	78,000	70,000	70,000	--
Lu-keng-niu	"	80,500	--	74,000	--
T'ai-shan Pa-i	"	81,000	--	71,000	--
Hai-chou Pa-i	"	80,000	72,500	--	--
Lu-heng-tzu	"	--	69,500	70,500	--
Hung-heng-tzu	"	--	60,000	61,000	65,000
Lu-ta-ch'ien	"	--	74,000	74,000	79,500
Chien-tzu	"	--	--	65,000	70,000
Kao-yang	"	--	--	78,000	81,000
Macaroni					
Hua-hsing	sack	83,000	--	--	--
Jen-feng	"	85,000	--	--	--
Hsin-feng	"	86,000	--	--	--
Sugar					
White, Tung-pei	chin	7,850	7,850	--	7,200
Granulated, Tung-pei	"	6,600	6,600	--	6,100
Refined, brown	"	6,000	4,850	--	4,400
Green	"	4,700	3,800	--	3,500
Edible Oil					
Essential	chin	5,800	--	4,900	4,700
Groundnut	"	4,480	--	4,480	4,100
Bean	"	3,890	--	3,900	3,600
Sesame seed	"	--	--	2,000	2,100
Green bean	"	--	--	3,650	--

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Paper					
Newsprint, Soviet	ream	--	--	364,000	--
Woodfree printing, Hsi-yang	"	--	--	1,280,000	1,200,000
Book, Tung-pei	"	--	--	480,000	--
Newsprint, Tung-pei	"	--	--	--	297,000
Miscellaneous					
Towels, Ma-chiu	doz	46,000	44,000	--	--
Stockings, Lan-kou	"	71,500	69,000	--	--
Stockings, Lung-feng-k'un	"	51,000	48,000	47,000	47,000
Hemp bags, Indian	each	43,000	--	--	--
Soap, Yang-ch'ien	box	130,000	130,000	130,000	130,000
Alum, Ming-chu, Wen-chou	ton	2,800,000	3,540,000	3,500,000	3,400,000
Toothpaste, Hei-jen, Rumanian	--	530,000	420,000	--	--
Vermicelli	chin	--	5,500	5,100	6,100
Tung oil	"	--	--	6,100	5,000
Medicinal Herbs					
Bupleurum falcatum, Hsi-shan	100 chin	200,000	200,000	170,000	250,000
Angelica, Sikang	" "	250,000	400,000	--	--
Asarum sieboldi	" "	1,200,000	1,200,000	--	--
Siler divaricatum, Tung	" "	300,000	320,000	--	--
Kadsura	" "	380,000	350,000	--	370,000
Polygala Japonica	" "	--	480,000	--	--
Coptis Japonica, Makino, Szechwan	" "	--	1,900,000	2,000,000	2,100,000

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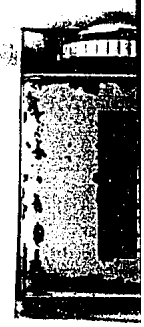

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Anemarrhena asphodeloides	chin	--	--	2,300	2,600
Rehmannia lutea, Tui-ch'eng-t'ao	"	--	--	5,500	--
Dioscorea	"	--	--	6,600	6,600
Fritillaria verticillata, Szechwan	"	--	--	120,000	--
Ligusticum acutilobum	"	--	--	--	10,000

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